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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of: )  
HIROYUKI INOUE, et al. )  
Application No.: 08/796,519 )  
Filed: February 7, 1997 )  
For: INK CONTAINER FOR INK )  
JET PRINTING, HOLDER FOR )  
THE CONTAINER, CARRIAGE )  
FOR THE HOLDER AND )  
INK JET PRINTER )  
Examiner: C. Hallacher  
Group Art Unit: 2853  
March 4, 2002

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2001 for two months from January 3, 2002 to Monday, March 4, 2002.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$400.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

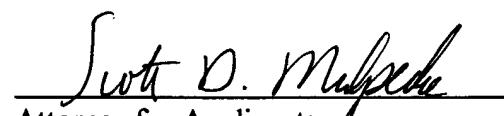
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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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